



**LODGE #84 – IOWA'S OLDEST SINCE 1888**

215 N. 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
Burlington, IA 52601  
(319) 753-5281

**E-mail:** donslarue@centurylink.net  
Artfarneys@aol.com

ISSUE #124

**LODGE MEETING THURSDAY 4/4 & 3/18 @ 7:30**

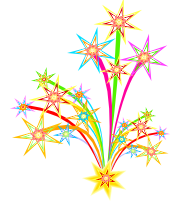
APRIL 2013

## **New Members - 19 members to be initiated next month!**



*Wow, lets celebrate - our lodge is growing...*

In the month of March we signed up 1 new member. Jeremy Graham was sponsored by Esquire Justin Sapp. We welcome Jeremy to the Lodge and look forward to seeing him at club functions.



## **April 4th - Installation of officers**

Installations of officers will be on Thursday, April 4th at 7:30pm. Please come and join in on welcoming our new officers. New Exalted Ruler - Rich Miller, Leading Knight - Jeff Johnson, Loyal Knight - Dana Johnston, Lecturing Knight - Michelle Phillips. Trustees - Don LaRue, Larry Beck and Dale Carden.

## **ENF Standings**

As of this writing, our Lodge finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in the state behind Shenandoah in contributions to the Elks National Foundation. We would like to "thank" everyone who donated this past year. April 1<sup>st</sup> starts a new year, so if you are not a current member or would like to learn more about what the Foundation does, please feel free to contact an officer at the Lodge.

## **Schedule for the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration**

The Lodges 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary will be held the weekend of April 5<sup>th</sup>. The anniversary committee and Lodge officers have put together a package to keep everyone entertained for the entire weekend. We are expecting many dignitaries from around the state to be in attendance. Invitations have been mailed, so please return your reservations as soon as possible. We would like to see a large turnout for this special event!



*Call the lodge if you need to register, need any assistance or have any questions.*

### **Friday, April 5th**

**5:00pm Happy Hour at our Elks Lodge**

*Free appetizers and cash bar for members & guests*

~

### **Saturday, April 6th**

**9:00am Golf at Flint Hills Golf Course**

*Meet at Golf Course - Late Registration at the Course at 8:30am*

**10:00am -11:30pm Tour of Burlington**

*Meet at Comfort Suites by 9:45am - Late Registration at Comfort Suites 9:30am*

**2:00pm - 5:30pm Hospitality Room at Comfort Suites**

*Enjoy a meet and greet along with refreshments and snacks.*

*All members and guests welcome.*

**6:30pm - Midnight 125th Banquet with music and dancing**

*If you have not made reservations, last date is April 4th.*

~

### **Sunday, April 7th**

**8:30am Breakfast at the Elks Lodge**

*Free breakfast and cash bar for members & guests*

4<sup>th</sup> Tom Parrott  
10<sup>th</sup> Chip Sexton  
20<sup>th</sup> Jeff Pence  
28<sup>th</sup> Kari Ita-Haltmeyer

**APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

4<sup>th</sup> Dal Thompson  
13<sup>th</sup> Keely Duncan  
23<sup>rd</sup> Dick Griffith  
29<sup>th</sup> Jim Nagel

5<sup>th</sup> Erik Bullinger  
17<sup>th</sup> Tom Burch  
28<sup>th</sup> Marcus Chezum



**APRIL 12TH DINNER**  
**SOCIAL HOUR 5:00 – DINNER 6:30 – \$6.50**



On Friday the 12th we will serving Roast Beef. Please plan to attend and bring a prospective new member or friend. **We strongly request that if you are planning to attend, please call in a reservation so we can make sure we have plenty of food available.** A covered dish is always appreciated.

**Elks Care - Elks Share**